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449	1893. 15th July	..	No. 571 of 1886.	415 218 719	*His Highness the Raja of Pudukkóttai.* — Directing that sentry guards be furnished, as at present, for the residence of — at Trichinopoly on the occasion of visits not exceeding a week.
460	15th "	..	Nos. 415–16 of 1884.	795	*Communications intended for Her Majesty the Queen.*—Drawing attention to the ruling regarding transmission of —, the members of the Royal Family and high officials in England and indicating the procedure to be followed in this Presidency.
464 465	18th "	..	No. 205 of 1865. Nos. 380–81 of 1870. No. 221 of 1871.	779	*Prince of Arcot.*—Directing that the two kharitas and their enclosures with 21 gold mohurs addressed by the — for the renewal in his name of certain Jaghires, to His Highness the Nizam and His Excellency Sir Asman Jah, K.C.I.E., be forwarded to the Resident for delivery and that the Paymaster inform the — that his application cannot be supported.
467 468	19th "	..	..	824 846 852 855 867 881 901	*Mints in Native States.*—Directing that the Government of India be addressed regarding the coinage of silver in the — in this Presidency to which Act IX of 1876 does not apply.

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476	1893. 21st July	..	No. 743 of 1887, Judl. No. 372 of 1888, Judl. No. 1883 of 1888, Judl. No. 30 of 1891.	791	*Golgonda Pensions.*—Declaring that the stipends drawn by Ramayya Devi and Bonnaji Yerramma will be resumed absolutely on their death, and issuing instructions regarding the allowances drawn by the children of Golgonda Sanyasi Bhupati.
483	22nd "	..	No. 270 of 1893.	920	*Rules for election of Fellows of the University of Madras by its Graduates.*—Communicating to Political officers letter from the Registrar, Madras University, regarding the — and stating that they will be found on pages 1055 and 1056 of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, Part II, dated 18th July 1893.
..	..	1893. 21st July 1893, No. 7.	..	..	*Saiyid Fazl.*—
486	24th July	..	No. 403 of 1893.	893	*Periyár.*—Communicating to the Public Works department for necessary action letter from the Resident in Travancore regarding the grant by the Durbar of the abkári lease for the proposed area of control around the Thekkadi camp.
491	24th "	..	No. 535 of 1883. No. 858 of 1883.	915	*Rules for the examination of Junior officers in the Political department.*—Directing republication of the Government of India notification substituting "Volumes III and IV" of Aitchison's Treaties for "Volume III" in rule II, clause A (4), of the — and the necessary change in the rules contained in G.O., dated 17th July 1883, No. 535.
496	25th "	..	No. 143 of 1893.	..	*Golgonda Pensions.*—Substituting a revised sentence for the second sentence of paragraph 2 of G.O., dated 10th March 1893, No. 143, sanctioning a compassionate allowance to the family of Santa Bhupati.
498	26th "	..	No. 649 of 1891. No. 172 of 1893.	923	*Native States—Military Stores.*—

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502	1893. 26th July	..	No. 143 of 1893. No. 496 of 1893.	909	*Golgonda Pensions.* — Recording letter from the Agent to the Governor, Vizagapatam, giving the names of the surviving members of the late Santa Bhupati's family, and directing that the compassionate grant be issued jointly to the mother and widow.
508	27th "	..	No. 247 of 1893. No. 363 of 1893.	851 875	*Pudukkottai Post.*—Approving the proposals of the Postmaster-General and the Director-General regarding the free conveyance of all official correspondence within Pudukkóttai and the payment of the usual official rates in all correspondence travelling outside the limits of the State.

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416	1893. 1st July	..	No. 353 of 1893.	771	*Vice-Consul for Portugal.*—Recording letter from the Government of India stating that the recognition of Mr. G. Oesinger's *ad interim* appointment as — at Madras, has been announced in the *Gazette of India.*
417	1st „	..	No. 267 of 1892. No. 672 of 1892. No. 965 of 1892.	760	*Servants of the late Aparupambi Bai.*—Directing that Mahalingam and others, —, be informed that Government declines to re-consider the orders already passed declining to grant them any allowances, and that further petitions on the subject will not receive any notice.
418	1st „	..	No. 18 of 1890. No. 235 of 1893.	740	*Mysore Pensions.* — Granting a bonus of Rs. 250 to Nur Bi, being the capitalised value of a moiety of the pension of the late Qasim Khan.
419 420	3rd „	..	Nos. 5–6 of 1874. Nos. 4–5 of 1891. No. 144 of 1891.	749	*Kandyan Pensioners.* — Directing that the petition from Savithri Devi Ammal for permission to proceed to Madura and for an advance of Rs. 500 to cover her expenses be forwarded to the Ceylon Government.
421	4th „	..	..	774 788	*Mr. G. T. Walch.*—Informing the Resident in Travancore by telegram that the appointment of — as Acting Chief Engineer has been sanctioned and that formal application is awaited.

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422	1893. 4th July	..	..	790	*Liquor shops, Hyderabad Frontier.*—Addressing the Resident, Hyderabad, regarding the proposals of the Board of Revenue for closing certain —.
423 424	4th „	..	Nos. 156–57 of 1892. No. 244 of 1892.	1470 Pub. 751	*Attaché, Berar.*—Directing that the application of Muhammad Jafar Husain, English Head Clerk, Collector's office, Cuddapah, for the post of —, be forwarded to the Government of India, Foreign department.
425	5th „	..	Nos. 250–51 of 1880. Nos. 167–68 of 1893. No. 425 of 1893.	755	*Saiyid Fazl.*—
426	5th „	..	No. 2477 of 1891, Judl. Nos. 167–68 of 1893. No 274 of 1893.	756	*Saiyid Fazl.*—
427	6th „	..	..	555 684 781	*Goomsur Pensioner.* — Sanctioning the commutation of the pension of Rs. 20 of Donnama, —.
428	7th „	..	No. 308 of 1893.	752	*Dependants of the late Nawab Ahmad-un-nisa Begam Sahiba.* — Directing that in modification of G.O., dated 17th May 1893, No. 308, a sum of Rs. 177 be continued to the —.
429	7th „	..	..	816	*Native Infantry Battalion at Ráyapuram.* — Recording Military department proceedings regarding the proposed location at Pallávaram of the —.
430	7th „	..	No. 443 of 1890.	589 733	*Mirza Imam-ud-din.* — Directing the Collector of Kistna to order Daud Ali to liquidate the arrears of pension due to — immediately and to inform him that he should adopt some more legitimate means of recovering the amount alleged to be due by the latter than withholding the pension payable to him.

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431	1893. 7th July	..	No. 270 of 1893.	815	*Election of a Fellow of the Bombay University for nomination to the Legislative Council, Bombay.*—Communicating to Political officers proceedings, Legislative department, communicating request of the Bombay Government in regard to the authentication of voting papers to be filled up by Fellows unable to attend the Senate House in that city.
432	7th ,,	..	No. 633 of 1877. No. 549 of 1878. No. 554 of 1882. No. 359 of 1885.	702 797	*Carnatic Stipendiaries.* — Sanctioning the commutation of the pensions of Aziz-un-nisa and Haidari Begams and Mir Ghulam Ali.—.
433	8th ,,	..	No. 499 of 1884. No. 585 of 1890.	692 785	——— Sanctioning proposals of the Paymaster in connection with the moiety of the pension of the late Farhat Bi.
434	10th ,,	..	No. 161 of 1893.	830	*Refund of duty on arms purchased by Native Chiefs, &c.*—Recording in continuation of G.O., dated 23rd March 1893, No. 161, proceedings, Revenue department, communicating letter from the Government of India stating that a certificate granted by the Political officer is sufficient to warrant the —.
435	10th ,,	..	No. 152 of 1893. No. 228 of 1893.	818	*Tinnevelly-Quilon Railway.*—Communicating to the Resident in Travancore, for the information of the Travancore Durbar, proceedings, Public Works department, communicating copy of despatch from the Secretary of State regarding the lapse of negotiations with the promoters of the —.
436	10th ,,	..	..	829	*Port Officer, Cochin.*—Communicating to the Resident, Cochin, proceedings, Marine department, stating that sanction to the special allowance drawn by the — from the Cochin State does not require renewal every time a new officer is posted.

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437	1893. 10th July	..	Nos. 180–81 of 1893. Nos. 178–79 of 1893. Nos. 215–16 of 1893.	772	*Abbasi Begam.*—Communicating to the Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends, letter from the Government of India sanctioning the grant to — of a sum equal to the present capitalized value of a pension of Rs. 4–10–8 a month with arrears from 13th September 1888 to date of payment.
438 439	11th "	..	..	764 787 809 812 813 817 820 822 823 827 828 842 833 850	*His Royal Highness the Duke of York.*—Forwarding to the Government of India, Home department, certain congratulatory telegrams and letter received from certain public bodies in the Presidency on the marriage of —.
440	11th "	..	..	754	*Rani Tundera Bai of Sandúr.*—Approving of the Political Agent's reply to the petition of — regarding her maintenance allowance.
441	11th "	..	No. 260 of 1893.	825	*M.R.Ry. M. Rangacharyar.*—Communicating to the Director of Public Instruction letter from the Resident in Travancore stating that, as — has declined to accept the terms offered him by the Dewan, arrangements have been made to relieve him of the duties of Acting Professor of Chemistry in His Highness the Maharaja's College from the 1st July 1893.
442	11th "	..	..	850	*Public Servants.*—Recording proceedings, Public department, communicating office-note of the Pension department requesting that orders passed from time to time regarding the conduct of — which may affect their pension, may be communicated to that department.
443	12th "	..	..	853	*Zemindaries and Havelly lands in Ganjám.*—Recording memorandum from the Judicial department forwarding old correspondence recently printed in connection with the —.

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444 445	1893. 13th July	..	Nos. 397–98 of 1893.	860	*Ceylon Government Pensioner.*—Directing that the death of M. Kuppan, a —, be reported to that Government.
446	13th "	..	No. 687 of 1885. No. 763 of 1887. No. 27 of 1891.	678 750	*Carnatic Stipendiary.*—Continuing to Muhammad Begam, as a special case, the commuted value of a moiety (Rs. 5) of the stipend of her late mother, Habib-un-nisa Begam, amounting to Rs. 697, and requesting the Paymaster to correct and forward revised lists appended to G.O., dated 17th January 1891, No. 71.
447	14th "	..	No. 386 of 1893.	864	*S. Narayanaswami Iyer.* — Communicating to the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue) letter from the Political Agent, Pudukkóttai, reporting that — a graduate whose optional language was Sanskrit not having passed the Translation Test, Lower Grade, has not completed the test for Deputy Collectors and his name was therefore omitted from the list of persons qualified for such posts.
448	15th "	..	No. 516 of 1888. No. 166 of 1889. No. 896 of 1891.	780	*Mustafa Ali.*—Declining to accede to the request of — that he may be provided with an appointment or recommended to a Native Government for one.
450	15th "	..	..	775 279	*Travancore and Cochin Courts.*—Forwarding to the Advocate-General correspondence from the Resident for opinion on the points raised by Mr. Grigg in connection with prosecution and defence of suits between the —.
451 452	15th "	..	No. 421 of 1893.	866	*Mr. G. T. Walch.*—Directing that the Government of India be addressed regarding the appointment of — as Acting Chief Engineer in the Travancore State.
453	15th "	..	No. 474 of 1883. No. 480 of 1890. No. 988 of 1893.	839 757	*Graves of Europeans in Native States.*—Forwarding to the Government of India copy of communication to the Nawab of Banganapalle requesting certain information regarding graves of Europeans in the State.

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454 455	1893. 15th July	..	No. 110 of 1893. No. 388 of 1893. No. 125 R. of 1893.	769 800	*Official reception of Native Chiefs at Railway stations.* — Recording letters from the Political Agents, Pudukkóttai and Banganapalle forwarding copies of communications to those States on the instructions of the Government of India regarding — and forwarding copy to the Government of India.
456 457	15th „	..	No. 244 of 1893.	662 708 725 758 776 840	*Native Chiefs.* — Directing that copies of the communications made by certain Political officers to the Native States under their control on the letter from the Government of India desiring that — may be apprised of the risk of being prohibited running on any Indian Railway of saloon carriages they may order direct without reference to Government of India, be forwarded to that Government.
458	15th „	..	No. 318 of 1893.	831	*Cochin Tirumala Devasom.*—Informing the Ahdikaris and Trustees of the — by telegram that orders on their memorial was sent to Mr. Gover, Cochin, on the 27th May, and that a copy is being sent through the Resident.
459	15th „	..	No. 356 of 1893.	848	*Rabiah Begam.*—Informing — that the Government of India has rejected her petition praying for an increase to her stipend and for arrears from the date of her grandmother's death.
461	17th „	..	No. 83 R. of 1893.	859	*His Excellency the Governor-General of the Portuguese Settlements in India.*—Congratulating — on his appointment.
462	17th „	..	No. 214 of 1893.	581 728 807	*Masulipatam Pensions.*—Sanctioning the commutation of the pension of Rs. 15 of Hasan Begam and directing the revision of the bonus sanctioned to Husani Begam and payment of arrears of pension up to end of June 1893.
463	18th „	..	..	..	*Memorials.* — Forwarding to the Government of India, Foreign department, list of — to the Secretary of State or to the Government of India withheld during the quarter ending June 1893.

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466	1893. 19th July	..	No. 23 of 1893. No. 219 of 1893.	872	*His Highness the Maharaja of Travancore.*—Communicating to the Collector of Tinnevelly and the Inspector-General of Police letter from the Resident regarding the visit of — to Courtallam and *via* Quilon.
469	19th "	..	..	882	*Captain A. H. Kellie, I.S.C.*—Replacing the services of — at the disposal of the Military department with effect from the 13th July 1893.
470	19th "	..	No. 438 of 1892. Nos. 351–52 of 1893.	861	*Pudukkóttai State Budget Estimates.*—Recording letter from the Government of India acknowledging receipt of the review of the — for 1893–94, and inviting attention to the instruction that spare copies of it are not required.
471	19th "	..	No. 322 of 1893. No. 408 of 1893.	870	*Pont à vannes across the Bangaru channel.*—Recording proceedings, Public Works department, recording letter from His Excellency the Governor of the French Settlements in India accepting the sum of 10,406·68 francs on payment of all demands for construction and removal of the —.
472	19th "	..	..	876	*His Highness the Raja of Cochin.*—Forwarding for delivery to the Resident the kharita from the Right Honorable the Governor of Bombay to —.
473	19th "	..	..	884	*Mr. H. W. Allen, C.E.*—Directing that the letter from — praying that orders may be expedited regarding his pension, be forwarded to the Resident in Hyderabad.
474	20th "	..	No. 84 of 1892.	874	*Titles.*—Directing the delivery by the officers concerned of sanads conferring — on certain persons and requesting certain information with regard to some of them.
475	20th "	..	No. 195 of 1893.	894	*Rafi-ul-mulk.* — Recording letter from the Resident in Hyderabad forwarding report from the Principal of the Nizam's College on the progress made by — for the first term ending 20th April 1893.

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477	1893. 21st July	..	..	911	*Form of Transfer of Funds.*—Communicating to Political officers proceedings, Financial department, prescribing a revised form of statement proposing expenditure for which provision has not been made in the budget and which cannot be met from anticipated savings under grant heads.
478 479	21st "	..	..	903	*Marriage of His Royal Highness the Duke of York.*—Directing that the letter from Her Highness Lakshmi Bai, C.I., Senior Rani of Travancore, conveying her congratulations to Her Majesty the Queen-Empress on the — be forwarded to the Government of India, Foreign department.
480 481	21st "	..	Nos. 438–39 of 1893.	849 891	——— Directing that the congratulatory telegram on the — from V. Muthukrishna Yachendra Bahadur, brother of the Raja of Venkatagiri, be forwarded to the Government of India, Home department.
482	22nd "	..	..	844	*E. W. Bales.*—Considering that, in the circumstances stated, permission to the residence of — in Travancore, should be refused.
484	22nd "	..	No. 200 of 1893. No. 308 of 1893.	900	*Muhammad Abdul Majid.*—Rejecting petition from — for an allowance, &c.
485	22nd "	..	No 887 of 1889. No. 207 of 1892. No. 313 of 1892.	806	*Saiyid Mustafa Kazi of Coonoor.*—Withholding memorial from — to the Government of India praying for a pension and employment at Seringapatam under rule 3 (5).
487	24th "	..	No. 288 of 1880. No. 78-R. of 1893. No. 305 of 1893.	793	*Nur-ud-din Husain.*—Informing — that his request for help till he is 18 years old cannot be entertained.
488	24th "	..	No. 382 of 1893.	886	*Dr. Thomson.*—Communicating to the Surgeon-General letter from the Resident in Travancore stating that — will be relieved by Dr. Ansted by 1st October 1893.

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489	1893. 24th July	..	..	895	*Letters for the Resident, Travancore and Cochin.*—Sanctioning the charge of Rs. 12 for — being delivered in a closed bag by the Postmaster at Trivandrum.
490	24th "	..	Nos. 104–5 of 1892. Nos. 674–75 of 1892.	889	*Prince of Arcot.*—Recording letter from the Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends, enclosing a letter from the — expressing his thanks for the arrangements made by Government for his late tour.
492 493	24th "	..	No. 767 of 1892.	913	*West Coast Railway Surveys.*—Directing that the Resident in Mysore be addressed regarding the probable cost of the survey in British territory.
494	24th "	..	..	765 773 838	*Mr. Crossley.* — Returning, to the Political Agent with remarks, certain papers regarding —, tutor to the Raja of Pudukkóttai.
495	25th "	..	No. 363 of 1858. No. 359 of 1885.	890	*Carnatic Stipendiary.*—Sanctioning the continuance of Rs. 5–8–0 to Zinat-un-nisa, widow of the late — Haji Imam-ud-din, to be paid in a lump sum.
497	25th "	..	No. 764 of 1892. No. 25 R. of 1893.	808	*Ata-ulla Khan, State Prisoner, Pudukkóttai.*—Referring — to the former order in his case and informing him that Government declines to interfere.
499	26th "	..	No. 136 of 1873. No. 383 of 1883. No. 104 of 1893.	877	*Senior Princess, Pudukkóttai.*—Directing that the expenditure of Rs. 300 incurred by the — on the occasion of the attaining of puberty of her uncle's daughter be not borne by the State, and requesting the Political Agent to expedite the report called for in paragraph 2 of G.O., dated 23rd February 1893, No. 104.
500	26th "	..	No. 688 of 1891. No. 326 of 1892.	878	*Chinna Aramanai Jagirdar.*—Permitting the — to return to Pudukkóttai on certain condition.
501	26th "	..	No. 408 of 1874. No. 491 of 1889. No. 344 of 1893.	922	*Ry. Vijiasadanandaji Sahib.*—Sanctioning payment of Rs. 2,000 to —, the eldest of the illegitimate sons of the late Raja of Tanjore on account of the marriages of his son and daughter.

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503 504	1893. 26th July	..	No. 219 of 1893.	799 841 873 908 914	*Tours of Native Chiefs.*—Directing that copies of communications made by Political officers to Native States under their control on request of the Government of India that programmes of — may not be circulated before their movements are fixed with some degree of certainty, be forwarded to the Government of India.
505	27th „	..	No. 407 of 1893.	929	*Raja of Cochin.*—Forwarding to the Resident for delivery a Kharita from His Excellency the Viceroy to the —.
506	27th „	..	No. 261 of 1881. No. 804 of 1888.	705 826	*Western Palace Jagirdar, Pudukkóttai.* — Considering that the expenses alleged to have been entailed upon — by the death of his sister's son should be borne by the State.
507	27th „	..	No. 388 of 1890. No. 277 of 1893.	918	*Masulipatam Pensioner.*—Sanctioning the commutation of the stipend, Rs. 6, drawn by Sakina Begam.
509	27th „	..	..	912 322 926	*Danish Consul, Madras.*—Informing the Government of India by telegram that there is no objection to the appointment of Mr. F. W. Bickel as —, and directing that he be recognised as such.
510	29th „	..	Nos. 36–37 of 1873. Nos. 17–19 of 1873. Nos. 50–52 of 1874.	879	*Saiyid Muhammad Bin Saiyid Umar. Calicut.*—Rejecting petition from — praying for pecuniary relief under (c) Petition rule V (4).
511	31st „	..	No. 99 R. of 1893.	925	*Appointment of Europeans.*—Recording proceedings, Educational department, communicating letter from the Government of India stating that the orders in paragraph 4 of letter, dated 10th November 1892, No. 2194, to the effect that the Government of India's sanction, instead of the Secretary of State's, would, in future, be sufficient for the — who are not statutory natives of India to offices carrying a salary of Rs. 200 a month and upwards, are to be taken to be of general application.

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121	1893. 3rd July	..	..	784	*Kandyan Pensioners.*—Forwarding to the Government Agent, Tanjore, for delivery letters received from the Ceylon Government addressed to Latchumi Ammal and T. Krishnasami Raja, —.
122	3rd "	..	No. 78 of 1893.	794	*Boundary between Hyderabad and Bhadráchalam taluk.*—Directing that a telegram be despatched to the Resident at Hyderabad enquiring when the reply of the Nizam's Government may be expected to communication regarding the —.
123	3rd "	..	..	782	*Railway lines between certain places in Mysore and this Presidency.*—Forwarding to the Resident in Mysore copy of proceedings in the Public Works department, No. 985 R., dated 29th June 1893, and requesting that certain information required in connection with the proposed — may be obtained from the Mysore Government and furnished.
124	4th "	..	No. 87 R. of 1893. No. 107 R. of 1893.	802	*Employment of unpassed men.*—Communicating to Political officers proceedings, Educational department, drawing the attention of all heads of departments to order dated 21st February 1876, No. 367, transferring to them the duty of seeing that the rules forbidding — are strictly observed.

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125	1893. 6th July	..	No. 110 of 1893.	801	*Native Chiefs.* — Recording letter from the Resident in Travancore and Cochin stating, with remarks, that no action was taken on the subject of G.O., dated 24th February 1893, No. 110, containing Government of India instructions in connection with official reception of — at railway stations.
126	7th ,,	..	No. 122 of 1893. No. 234 of 1893. No. 350 of 1893.	814	*Kandyan Pensioners.*— Informing Achammal, widow of the late Govinda Raja, that her petition for the continuance of her husband's pension to her should be forwarded through the Government Agent, Tanjore.
127	15th ,,	..	No. 820 of 1883. No. 576 of 1889, Rev.	863	*Logan's Malabar Treaties.*—Recording letter from the Government of India returning copy of — and referring paragraphs 2 and 3 of the letter to the Revenue department for compliance, requesting to be supplied with two copies of the new edition of the Treaties if published, if not with two copies of the works as published in 1879.
128	19th ,,	..	..	896	*Residence in Travancore.*—Permitting — of Margaret MacDonnel to act as Lady Superintendent of Meyoor Medical Mission.
129	24th ,,	..	No. 206 R. of 1892. No. 415 R. of 1893.	871	*Cinchona Department.*—Furnishing the Resident in Travancore and Cochin with copy of proceedings, Revenue department, reviewing the report on the working of the Government — for 1892–93 and that on Mr. Hooper's analytical work done during the same period.
130	24th ,,	..	No. 96 R. of 1893.	907	*Kurnool Political Students.*—Recording report of progress made by the — in the Municipal High school, Kurnool, for quarter ending 30th June 1893.
131	24th ,,	..	No. 388 of 1890.	917	*Masulipatam Sub-pensioner.*—Recording letter from the Collector of Kistna reporting the death of — Rashid-ud-din and awaiting the further report promised.

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132	1893. 25th July.	..	No. 369 of 1893. No. 334 of 1893.	892	*His Highness the Raja of Pudukkóttai.*—Recording, pending reply to G.O., No. 334 of 1893, letter from the Collector of Madura regarding the price of the house "Nut shell," at Kodaikánal for —.
133	29th „	..	..	..	*Government Order.*—Forwarding to the Under Secretary of State two copies of —, No. 426, dated 5th July 1893.

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Read—again the following paper :—

G.O., dated 2nd June 1886, No. 571, Political.

Abstract.—Communicating to the officers concerned a letter from the Government of India, stating the practice observed in Calcutta with regard to furnishing honorary guards and guard of honour to Native Chiefs.

Read—also the following papers :—

From Brigadier-General H. P. PEARSON, C.B., Adjutant-General, Madras Army, to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, dated Ootacamund, 28th March 1893, No. N.A. 563.

I have the honour, by desire of the Commander-in-Chief, to submit the enclosed letter No. G. 147, dated 20th March 1893, from the General Officer Commanding Southern District.

2. His Excellency is of opinion that it could never have been intended that Native Chiefs should obtain *quasi*-permanent guards under the operation of the orders * on the subject, and I am therefore to submit these papers for such action as Government may consider necessary.

* Paragraph 41, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II.
Proceedings of Government No. 7073 of 16th October 1889.

Enclosure.

From Brigadier-General G. ROWLANDSON, Commanding Southern District, to the Adjutant-General, Madras Army, dated 20th March 1893, No. G. 147.

At my recent visit to Trichinopoly, on finding that a guard of honour of 1 Havildar and 12 men was being mounted daily at the residence of the Raja of Pudukkottai, I caused inquiry to be made as to the authority under which the guard was furnished and was referred to Proceedings of Madras Government, Political, No. 571, dated 2nd June 1886 (copy attached).

2. As, however, the wording of paragraph 41, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, points to a distinction between visits of a Chief to a Military station for State functions and those of a purely private nature, and as the visits of the Pudukkottai Raja to Trichinopoly are both long and frequent, I have the honour to request instructions as to whether it is the wish of Government to allow Chiefs a permanent guard whatever their length of stay.

3. During last year the Raja was in Trichinopoly and was provided with a guard during 138 days, and from what I was told I believe it is the intention of the Raja to reside at Trichinopoly a considerable time out of each year, for which he has secured the best house in the place.

No. 2245.

G.O., No. 571, dated 2nd June 1886.
" " 500 " 2nd October 1889.

Transferred to the Political Department for consideration and disposal with reference to the orders noted in the margin.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Bridgr.-General,
Secy. to Govt., Mily. Dept.

To the Political Department.

Endorsement of the Military Department, dated 15th June 1893, No. 3843, forwarding a letter from the Adjutant-General requesting an early decision on his letter, dated 28th March 1893, No. N.A. 563.

ORDER—dated 15th July 1893, No. 449, Political.

His Excellency the Governor in Council is of opinion that sentry guards should be furnished, as at present, for the residence of His Highness the Raja of Pudukkottai at Trichinopoly on the occasions of visits not exceeding a week, but that for visits of longer duration His Highness should provide a sentry guard from his own sepoys.

(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

To the Military Department.
" Political Agent, Pudukkóttai.

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G.O., 15th July 1893, No. 449.

JULY.

His Highness the Raja of Pudukkottai.

Directing that sentry guards be furnished, as at present, for the residence of — at Trichinopoly on the occasion of visits not exceeding a week.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

Order—dated 15th July 1893, No. 460, Political.

As misapprehension appears to exist as to the course to be followed when offering congratulations or condolences to Her Majesty the Queen or the Royal Family, His Excellency the Governor in Council resolves to draw the attention of officers and the public generally to the ruling of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India that all communications intended for Her Majesty the Queen, the members of the Royal Family and high officials in England should be forwarded through the Government of India, failing which such communications will not be acknowledged.

2. The proper procedure to follow in this Presidency is to forward such communications, whether they are telegrams or not, to the Chief Secretary to Government with the request that they may be duly transmitted. In no case should they be addressed to the Government of India direct; they should invariably be submitted to the Local Government in the mode indicated above.

3. The attention of all District Boards and Municipalities will be drawn, in the Local and Municipal Department, to the above ruling.

(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

To the Departments of the Secretariat.
,, Heads of Departments under Chief Secretary
(including Collectors and District Judges).

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POLITICAL.

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G.O., 15th July 1893, No. 460.

JULY.

Communications intended for Her Majesty the Queen.

Drawing attention to the ruling regarding transmission of —, the members of the Royal Family and high officials in England, and indicating the procedure to be followed in this Presidency.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

Read—the following paper :—

From Colonel H. S. STEWART, I.S.C., Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Chepak, 23rd June 1893, No. 318.

I have the honour, at the request of the Prince of Arcot, to forward the enclosed letter, with its accompaniments, addressed to His Excellency the Right Honorable the Governor, for the favorable consideration of Government, requesting the transmission of the undermentioned articles to His Highness the Nizam, through the British Resident at Hyderabad, and in doing so beg to refer to G.O., No. 380, dated 30th November 1870, disposing of a similar correspondence from His late Highness Prince Azim Jah Bahadur :—

(i) One Persian letter, with its English translation (and a nuzzur of 21 gold mohurs), addressed by the Prince of Arcot to His Highness the Nizam.

(ii) One Persian letter, with its English translation, addressed by the Prince to His Excellency Sir Asman Jah, Prime Minister to His Highness the Nizam.

(iii) One Persian letter, with its English translation, addressed by the Prince to His Excellency the Right Honorable the Governor, requesting His Lordship to transmit the above letters to their address.

Enclosures.

From His Highness Prince AZIM JAH MUHAMMAD MUNAVAR, Khan Bahadur, Prince of Arcot, to His Excellency the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, dated Ameer Mahal, 19th June 1893.

May it please Your Excellency—On the demise of my great grandfather, Nawab Anwar-ud-din Khan, the father of Nawab Walajah, the Nizam's Government bestowed a jaghir for the upkeep of the tombs of Nawab Anwar-ud-din Khan, in addition to the one he already had for the support of his offspring. This jaghir was renewed from time to time up to the demise of Nawab Ghulam Muhammad Ghouse Khan, the last titular Nawab of the Carnatic, which took place in 1856, when it was resumed by the Government of His Highness the Nizam.

2. My grandfather laid his claim to the jaghir through the Madras Government in 1858 and 1870—*vide* G.Os., Nos. 428 and 380, dated 7th July 1858 and 30th November 1870. His late Highness Prince Azim Jah Bahadur submitted a requisition to His late Excellency Sir Salar Jung, G.C.S.I., asking him for the restoration of the jaghir. Sir Salar wrote to the Prince expressing his willingness to favorably consider his request. His Highness the present Nizam was then a minor, and most probably, owing to the minority, Sir Salar could not do anything in the matter of the restoration of the jaghir. Prince Azim Jah died in 1874 and was succeeded by my uncle, Intizam-ul-mulk Bahadur, who, soon after his accession to the title of Prince of Arcot, had an attack of paralysis, which rendered him incapable of addressing his claims to the jaghir in question. His Highness the Nizam having attained his majority in 1884, I succeeded my uncle in 1889.

3. I beg to enclose a few of the documents connected with the jaghir, together with copies of sanads, &c., appertaining to the same for your Excellency's perusal, begging that the same may be despatched to His Highness the Nizam, through the British Resident at Hyderabad, with the enclosed kharitas and 21 gold mohurs, the usual nuzzur. I trust that your Excellency will support my application in the same manner as Lord Napier supported my grandfather's application which is referred to by His late Excellency Sir Salar Jung in his kind note to Prince Azim Jah.

4. I beg to point out that the language employed in G.O., dated 7th July 1858, No. 428, is calculated to show that the Government wished to expedite the disposal of the claim preferred by my grandfather to His Highness the Nizam of Hyderabad.

TRANSLATION of a letter addressed to His Highness the Nizam of Deccan.

With due respects, I approach your Highness' august threshold and beg to submit that it is an ancient custom whenever the shadow of your Highness' kindness is thrown over any dependant, it has never been withdrawn, and consequently I, an hereditary servant of your Highness, considering the support my forefathers received, humbly solicit that the jaghir of Ainaicondah, &c., and the killadarship of Gunpoora were granted to my ancestors. In the first instance Husain-ul-mulk and Nasir-ul-mulk, the sons of Muhammad Ali Khan, my great-great-grandfather, held those posts, and afterwards through the assistance of the British Government my great grandfather, Azim-ud-daulah, was honored by the same dignity according to a sanad, dated 1217 Hijri, and lastly the same support was continued to Ghulam Muhammad Ghouse Khan—*vide* sanad, dated 1255 Hijri—and after his demise the jaghirs were ordered to be resumed. My grandfather, Azim Jah, submitted his claims with the nuzzur through the British Government on the 24th Shawal, 1274 Hijri, and 20th Shaban, 1287 Hijri. Now I succeeded my late uncle, Intizam-ul-mulk, in the title of Prince under letters patent from Her Majesty the Queen, Empress of India. Your Highness' humble servant begs to submit his claim, with the usual nuzzur of 21 gold mohurs, through the British Government, with a firm hope that your Highness will, by means of renowned generosity, accept the nuzzur and bestow the jaghirs on me. The servants attached to the tomb of my ancestor, Anwar-ud-din Khan, still enjoy support from your Highness, and I similarly trust that I may not be excluded from the bounty of your Highness as I am the only recognized representative of those Jaghirdars, and your Highness will be graciously pleased to show me the same favour as was shown to my forefathers.

For which act of kindness I will, as in duty bound, ever pray for your Highness, long life and prosperity. What can I represent more.

TRANSLATION of a letter to His Excellency Sir Asman Jah, K.C.I.E., Prime Minister to His Highness the Nizam.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY—I most respectfully beg to solicit that I have presented a petition to His Highness the Nizam for the renewal in my name of the jaghirs of Ainaicondah and Gunpoora which were held from time to time by my forefathers. In the first instance Husain-ul-mulk and Nasir-ul-mulk, the sons of Muhammad Ali Khan, my great-great-grandfather, held them respectively, and afterwards Nawab Azim-ud-daulah, my great grandfather, was honored by means of a sanad, dated 1217 Hijri, and lastly Ghulam Muhammad Ghouse Khan Bahadur enjoyed those jaghirs—*vide* sanad dated 1255. After his demise, the jaghirs were resumed by the Nizam's Government. My grandfather Azim Jah laid his claims through the British Government on 24th Shawal 1874 and 20th Shaban 1287 Hijri, with the usual nuzzur and petitioned to the late Nawab Mukhtar-ul-mulk and reminded him in 1289 Hijiri. Your Excellency will see, by the enclosed letter from the late Nawab Mukhtar-ul-mulk, that the then minority of His Highness prevented the acceptance of my grandfather's prayers, and, at the time His Highness received the reins of Government on attaining majority, my grandfather died and my uncle was paralysed, and I was recognised as his successor in the title of Prince of Arcot under letters patent from Her Majesty the Queen, Empress of India. I therefore beg to submit my humble request, with the usual nuzzur of 21 gold mohurs, through the British Government, with a firm hope that your Excellency will lay the same before His Highness at the earliest opportunity supported by your Excellency's kind recommendation with a view to the removal of the above jaghirs in my name. The servants attached to the tomb of my ancestor, Anwar-ud-din Khan, still enjoy their support from His Highness' Government, and I will consider it as a mark of favour from your Excellency if I may likewise receive that support and consideration from His Highness the Nizam which was extended to my forefathers.

For which act of kindness I shall feel ever thankful to your Excellency and beg to remain, &c.

ORDER—dated 18th July 1893, No. 464, Political.

The two kharitas and their enclosures, together with the 21 gold mohurs which accompanied them, will be forwarded to the Resident at Hyderabad for transmission to His Highness the Nizam of Hyderabad and to His Excellency Sir Asman Jah, K.C.I.E.

2. The Paymaster will inform the Prince of Arcot that his application cannot be supported by His Excellency in Council.

(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

To the Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends.

LETTER—to the Resident at Hyderabad, dated Ootacamund, 18th July 1893, No. 465, Political.

I am directed to forward the accompanying kharitas and enclosures, with nuzzur amounting to 21 gold mohurs, addressed by the Prince of Arcot to His Highness the Nizam of Hyderabad and to His Excellency Sir Asman Jah, K.C.I.E., and to request that you will be so good as to take the necessary steps for their delivery.

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

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G.O., &c., 18th July 1893,
Nos. 464, 465.

JULY.

Prince of Arcot.

Directing that the two kharitas and their enclosures, with 21 gold mohurs, addressed by the — to His Highness the Nizam of Hyderabad and to His Excellency Sir Asman Jah, K.C.I.E., for the renewal in his name of certain jaghirs, be forwarded to the Resident for delivery, and that the Paymaster inform the — that his application cannot be supported.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers :—

Telegram from the Government of India, Foreign Department, to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated 6th July 1893, No. 2350 I.

Please send by post without delay following particulars regarding Native States mints in Madras to which Act IX of 1876 does not apply :—(1) Is silver freely received from the public and coined on demand or does each State accept or refuse silver at pleasure? (2) What is the usual arrangement as to supply of coin from mints? (3) What has been average amount coined annually in last five years or thereabouts and is coinage carried on regularly from year to year or intermittently? (4) What sort of silver is ordinarily coined? Does any large proportion of it consist of rupees coined at our own mints?

Telegram from the Chief Secretary to Government, to the Resident in Travancore and Cochin and the Political Agents of Pudukkóttai, Banganapalle, and Sandúr, dated 7th July 1893, No. 371.

Government India telegraphs [here enter telegram]. Please furnish me immediately with information required.

Telegram from the Political Agent, Kurnool, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated 8th July 1893.

Your telegram seventh. Banganapalle State has no mints nor coins money. British Indian coins alone used there.

From R. SEWELL, Esq., Collector and Political Agent, Sandúr, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated 8th July 1893, Gl. Br. No. 1742.

Referring to your telegram, dated the 7th current, I have the honour to state that there is no mint at Sandúr, which is the only Native State in this district, and that no coinage is carried on in that State.

Telegram from the Resident in Travancore and Cochin, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated 10th July 1893.

371. (1) Travancore does not receive silver from public for coining and has not done so for past fifteen years. Its Government received or refused silver at pleasure. (2) Its Government buys silver bullion generally Bombay and sends mint for coining silver minted to replenish Sirkar treasuries for local circulation. (4) Bullion of ten touch is used for coining. British rupees never used for this purpose. (3) Silver coined 1887–88 5,103 tolas, 1888–89 none, 1889–90 34,912 tolas, 1890–91 39,502 tolas, 1891–92 5,917 tolas, total 85,734 tolas. Will wire regarding Cochin later.

Telegram from the Resident in Travancore and Cochin, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated 12th July 1893.

371. Cochin telegraphs: Begins. Coinage is not carried on annually, intermittently or regularly. There was free coinage of silver puthans in 1821; subsequently none until about 1857. It appears that puthans were then coined from silver purchased by Sirkar. There has been no coinage since then. Inferior silver is ordinarily coined. Rupees coined at British mints are not used for coinage. Ends.

From W. H. WELSH, Esq., Political Agent for Pudukkóttai, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated 13th July 1893, No. 75 O.–898.

With reference to your telegram, No. 371, dated 7th, received on the 8th instant, I have the honour to report—

(1) The Pudukkóttai State does not coin silver and is believed never to have done so.

(2) No coins are supplied to the State from the mints.

(3) A small copper coin (amman kásu), equal to $\frac{1}{320}$th part of the British rupee, was once manufactured in Pudukkóttai, but recently imported from Birmingham. The first supply from England was 1 million of the coins in 1889 and the second 1 million in 1890. This number was estimated to last for a period of five years. Coinage is not carried on regularly from year to year, but intermittently.

(4) There is no arrangement for coinage of any kind of silver nor for obtaining supplies from mints in British India, but, occasionally, when any kind of coins runs short, the Pudukkóttai State applies to the Accountant-General who orders supplies from the nearest treasuries.

2. The reply of the Diwan-Regent to this office reference on the subject is herewith enclosed.

ENCLOSURE.

From M.R.Ry. A. SASHIAH SASTRI, Avargal, Diwan-Regent, Pudukkóttai, to the Political Agent for Pudukkóttai, dated 12th July 1893, No. 89 O.

With reference to your letter No. 70 O.–876, dated the 11th instant, I have the honour to reply as follows.

2. The British currency, both silver and copper, has been always the currency of this State.

3. The only exception was a small copper coin (amman kásu), equal to $\frac{1}{320}$th part of the British rupee. This used to be struck by the hand to the extent required every year for distribution with doles of rice during Navaratri (Dusra feast).

4. As the making of them by hand made the coin look clumsy and of unequal size and weight, it was arranged, through Messrs. P. Orr and Sons in the year 1888, to get them coined in England.

5. The first supply thus obtained in 1889 was 1,000,000 and the next in 1889 was 1,000,000 and was calculated to meet our demands for a period of five years.

6. There are no special arrangements to supply ourselves with British silver or copper coins. Whenever we run short of silver small coins or copper coins we apply to the Accountant-General who orders a supply from the nearest treasuries, Trichinopoly or Tanjore.

7. Silver bullion is never received from the public.

Telegram from the Chief Secretary to Government, to the Resident in Travancore and Cochin, dated 17th July 1893, No. 398.

Your telegram tenth, Travancore mints. What is quality ten touch silver as compared with rupee silver.

Telegram from the Resident in Travancore and Cochin, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated 18th July 1893.

Your 398. The British rupee is regarded in Travancore at $8\frac{1}{2}$ touch. Travancore silver coins are $9\frac{1}{2}$ touch or one touch better than British rupee. Ten touch is regarded as equivalent to Bombay mint 100 fineness or betterness. According this standard British rupee is of 85 betterness against Travancore coinage 95 betterness.

ORDER—dated 19th July 1893, No. 467, Political.

The Government of India will be addressed.

(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

LETTER—to the Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, dated Ootacamund, 19th July 1893, No. 468, Political.

In reply to your telegram of the 6th instant, No. 2350 I., requesting to be furnished with certain particulars regarding the coinage of silver in the mints of Native States in this Presidency to which Act IX of 1876 does not apply, I am directed to forward the accompanying copies of communications from Political officers on the subject. From these it will be seen that Travancore is the only Native State under the control of this Government in which such coinage is at present carried on and that—

(i) the Travancore Darbar does not receive silver from the public for coining and has not done so for the past fifteen years; it receives or refuses silver at pleasure;

(ii) it buys silver bullion for coinage purposes generally from Bombay and the minted silver is used for replenishing the Sirkar treasuries for local circulation;

(iii) the amount of silver coined in 1887–88 was 5,103 tolas.

"	"	"	1888–89	"	*Nil.*	"
"	"	"	1889–90	"	34,912	"
"	"	"	1890–91	"	39,802	"
"	"	"	1891–92	"	5,917	"
			Total	...	85,734	"

(iv) The bullion used is of ten touch (equivalent to 100 fineness in the Bombay mint); British rupees are never used for coining purposes.

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

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G.O., &c., 19th July 1893,
Nos. 467, 468.

JULY.

Mints in Native States.

Directing that the Government of India be addressed regarding the coinage of silver in the — in this Presidency to which Act IX of 1876 does not apply.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

Read—the following papers:—

No. 954.

Official Memorandum.

The Accountant-General is requested to justify the present classification (as non-political) of the pensions drawn by the persons named below:—

(1) *Ramayya Devu*, Rs. 25. No. 2645.

This pension was sanctioned in the same order which authorised the payment of Rs. 100 *per annum* to Sita Devi (G.O., dated 5th April 1887, No. 743, Judicial). It is not apparent why allowances to a mother and a daughter should be taken under different heads of account and classified differently, and there seems to be no reason for regarding the mother's pension as non-political.

(2) *Appala Raju* and *Narasamma*, Rs. 17–8–0. No. 40 S.

These are children of Golgonda Saniyasi Bhupati by his concubine ("barani wife") Chandramma, and the payment is made up of a grant of Rs. 12–8–0, being a moiety of what Chandramma drew, and a schooling allowance of Rs. 5 for the boy (G.Os. dated 13th February and 5th September 1888, Nos. 372 and 1883, Judicial).

Considering that the grants to Santa Bhupati's descendants and their connections were classed as political, the same course should apparently be followed in regard to the allowances drawn by these members of the family or at any rate in regard to the compassionate allowance.

(3) *Bonnanji Yerramma*, Rs. 15. No. 2727.

The history of this stipend does not differ from that of many of the political pensions in the northern districts. A *muttadar* rebelled: his *mutta* was taken away, and an allowance was granted him. On his death, this was continued to his two widows, of whom the present grantee is the survivor (G.Os. dated 11th February 1888, 23rd November 1888, and 11th February 1889, Nos. 359, 2436 and 244, Judicial).

The transfer of the pension to the list of those debitable to Grant 27 appears to be desirable.

(Signed) J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

30*th May* 1893.

To the Accountant-General.

From T. W. RAWLINS, Esq., Accountant-General, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Fort St. George, 28th June 1893, No. I.A.D.-540.

With reference to your memorandum, No. 954, dated the 30th May 1893, I have the honour to state that the pensions granted to the marginally-noted persons will in future be charged to Grant 27, Territorial and Political Pensions.

	RS.	A.	P.
(1) Ramayya Devu	25	0	0
(2) Appala Raju and Narasayyamma	17	8	0

2. With respect to Bonnaji Yerramma's allowance of Rs. 15, I have to state that her allowance has hitherto been debited to Grant 27, Territorial and Political, and no alteration in the classification of the debit is therefore necessary in this case.

Order—dated 21st July 1893, No. 476, Political.

In continuation of the orders passed in regard to Golgonda and other political pensions in G.O., 17th January 1891, No. 30, Political, the Government declares that the stipends drawn by Ramayya Devu (Rs. 25 per mensem) and Bonnaji Yerramma (Rs. 15) will be resumed absolutely on the death of the present holders.

2. The allowances drawn by Appala Raju and Narasayyamma, children of Golgondah Sanyasi Bhupati (Rs. 12–8–0 per mensem jointly and Rs. 5 for schooling fees of the boy) have in G.Os., 13th July 1888, No. 1491, and 5th September 1888, No. 1883, Judicial, been declared terminable when the former attains the age of eighteen and the daughter marries. In the event of the majority of Appala Raju preceding the marriage of his sister, one half of the joint pension, or Rs. 6–4–0, and also the schooling allowance will be resumed, the remaining half of the pension being made payable in the name of Narasayyamma until she marries.

3. This decision will be strictly enforced, and the Agent to the Governor should warn the pensioners accordingly.

(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

To the Agent to the Governor in Vizagapatam.
" Accountant-General.

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G.O., 21st July 1893, No. 476.

JULY.

Golgonda and other Political Pensioners.

Declaring that the stipends drawn by Ramayya Devu and Bonnaji Yerramma will be resumed absolutely on their death and issuing instructions regarding the allowances drawn by the children of Golgondah Sanyasi Bhupati.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

Read—the following papers :—

From H. B. GRIGG, Esq., M.A., C.I.E., Resident in Travancore and Cochin, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Trivandrum, 20th June 1893, Ref. on C. No. 1058–93.

Having made known to the Durbars of Travancore and Cochin of the proposal of Government to elect Fellows of the Madras University by vote as set forth in G.O., Political, dated the 3rd May 1893, No. 270, I have the honour to forward copy of a letter from the Diwan of Travancore, No. 2713–M. 1042 of 14th instant on the subject, and to request that, should any rules have been framed in connection with the scheme, the Government will be good enough to furnish me with a copy for communication to the Diwan.

Enclosure.

From M.R.Ry. SHUNGARA SOOBAYER, Avergal, Diwan of Travancore, to the British Resident in Travancore and Cochin, dated Trivandrum, 14th June 1893, No. 2713–M. 1042.

In acknowledging your Reference on C. No. 838–93, dated 29th ultimo, on the subject of the new system of election of Fellows of the University of Madras by vote, I have the honour to inform you that the necessary steps will be taken to have the votes of qualified electors in this State duly recorded before Magistrates.

2. Meanwhile I shall feel obliged by your furnishing me, for the information of this Government, with copy of what rules may be framed by the Madras Government and the Senate in connection with the practical working of the scheme so as to ensure uniformity of detail.

Referred to the Educational Department for favour of report.

(Signed) J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

26*th June* 1893.

Returned to the Political Department with the remark that Government has framed no rules other than those contained in G.O., dated 27th February 1893, No. 155, Educational ; it is not known whether the Senate has framed any rules ; this can be ascertained by a reference to the Registrar to the University.

(Signed) A. BUTTERWORTH,
Ag. Under Secretary.

3*rd July* 1893.

Memo. No. 1171.

Referred to the Registrar, Madras University, for report.

(Signed) J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

Ootacamund,
4*th July* 1893.

From G. BICKLE, Esq., Registrar of the University of Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Senate House, 18th July 1893, No. 523.

In reply to memorandum No. 1171, Political, dated 4th July 1893, I am directed by the Syndicate to inform you that the rules regarding the election of Fellows of the University of Madras by its graduates will be published in this day's issue of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, and to request that you will be pleased to invite the attention of the Resident to the same.

2. The enclosures, with the memorandum under reply, are returned herewith as required.

Order—dated 22nd July 1893, No. 483, Political.

Communicated to Political officers in continuation of G.O., dated 3rd May 1893, No. 270. The rules referred to in the Registrar's letter will be found on pages 1055 and 1056 of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, Part II, dated 18th July 1893.

(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

To the Political officers.
Copy to Educational Department.

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G.O., 22nd July 1893, No. 483.

JULY.

Rules for election of Fellows of the University of Madras.

Communicating to Political officers letter from the Registrar, Madras University, regarding the —, and stating that they will be found on pages 1055 and 1056 of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, Part II, dated 18th July 1893.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following paper:—

G.O., dated 24th June 1893, No. 403, Political.

ABSTRACT.—Passing orders in connection with the question of the area of control over the sale of liquors in the Periyar and Thekkadi camps.

READ—also the following paper:—

From H. B. GRIGG, Esq., M.A., C.I.E., Resident in Travancore and Cochin, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Trivandrum, 12th July 1893, Ref. on C. No. 1311–93.

With reference to G.O., Political, No. 403, of the 24th ultimo, I have the honour to forward, for the information of Government, copies of the correspondence marginally noted, from which it will be observed that the Travancore Durbar is prepared to grant the abkári lease for the area of control around the Thekkadi camp according to Mr. Pears' proposal.

Letter from Resident to Diwan of Travancore, dated 5th July 1893, Ref. on C. No. 1265.
Letter from Diwan to Resident, dated 10th July 1893, No. 483-P.D.

2. This point having now been conceded in full accordance with Government demand, I beg that early instructions may be issued to have the sketch-map required by the Diwan prepared, and that the Superintendent of the Periyar Works may be instructed to intimate to me the date from which the lease is to take effect and to pay into my treasury for the Travancore Sirkar the proportionate amount of compensation due in advance.

ENCLOSURES.

From H. B. GRIGG, Esq., Resident in Travancore and Cochin, to the Diwan of Travancore, dated Trivandrum, 5th July 1893, Ref. on C. No. 1265–93.

Referring to your letter of the 23rd May 1893, P.D. No. 339, and my communication forwarding the same for the orders, I have the honour to inform you that I have received from my Government a copy of a letter addressed to Government by Mr. Pears, the Superintendent of Works, No. 1 Periyar Division, in which after stating that he is in doubt as to the meaning of the words "the Periyar camp and a radius of three miles of the camp" expressed in your letter of the 29th January 1893 to the Resident quoted in Government Order, Political, No. 95, dated 20th February 1893, and also as to the area of control purchased by the British Government, he requests that in reopening and concluding the negotiations, the area of control may be unmistakably defined and states that it is essential that the specified area should include some considerable space around each of the camps as otherwise the present Periyar liquor-seller has only to move his camp (a small thatched shed) about 210 yards further west and resume trade just beyond the Periyar camp limits. The Superintendent recommends that the area determined on should be that comprised within a radius of one mile from the Periyar rice bazaar and a radius of half-a-mile from Thekkadi post office and the length of the road from Periyar to Thekkadi by a width of ¼ of a mile on each side thereof and this area he would sublet to the highest bidder.

With reference to these suggestions, I am desired by my Government to inform you that it considers that the area of control round the Periyar camp which has already been agreed upon should not be reduced, but in view of the objections to the settlement as I understood by your Government, I am to request that you will kindly inform me at a very early date whether the Travancore Durbar will be willing to meet the Madras Government, so far as the Thekkadi camp is concerned, by agreeing to Mr. Pears' proposal, viz., that the area of control be represented by the country enclosed by a radius of half-a-mile from Thekkadi post office and by the whole length of the road from Periyar to Thekkadi with a quarter of a mile on each side thereof.

My Government also desires me to inform you that it was under a misapprehension owing to the expression "camps and the country within a radius of three miles of them" used in your letter of the 29th January 1893, which led my Government to suppose that the control over the sale of liquors in both camps had already been secured.

From the Diwan of Travancore, to the British Resident in Travancore and Cochin, dated Trivandrum, 10th July 1893, No. 483-P. D.

In reply to your letter, No. 1265, dated the 5th instant, I have the honour to state that this Government is prepared to grant the abkári lease for the area round the Thekkadi camp according to Mr. Pears' proposal indicated by you, the arrangement being similar to that for the Periyar camps.

To obviate any possible misapprehension and in view to a clear settlement with the present lessees, I wish to have a sketch of the tract as requested in my letter, No. 246, dated 7th April. I shall be glad if the limits of the areas within which the control over the sale of liquors is sought to be obtained in respect of both the camps be clearly marked in the sketch and also the position of the thatched shed alluded to as belonging to the present liquor-seller.

ORDER—dated 24th July 1893, No. 486, Political.

Communicated to the Public Works Department for necessary action with reference to paragraph 2 of the Resident's letter.

(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

To the Public Works Department.
" Resident in Travancore.

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G.O., 24th July 1893, No. 486.

JULY.

Periyar.

Communicating to the Public Works Department, for necessary action, letter from the Resident in Travancore regarding the grant by the Durbar of the abkári lease for the proposed area of control around the Thekkadi camp.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

Read—the following paper :—

Notification of the Government of India, in the Foreign Department, dated Simla, 6th July 1893, No. 1161-G.

The contents of Volume III of Aitchison's Treaties have been re-arranged in the new edition which has just been published, so as to form Volumes III and IV of that work. It is therefore notified, for general information, with reference to Foreign Department notification, No. 1723-G., dated the 2nd July 1883, that Rule II, clause (A) (4), of the Rules for the examination of junior officers in the Political Department, has been amended by the substitution of the words and figures "Volumes III and IV" for the word and figure "Volume III."

(Signed) H. M. DURAND,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 1162-G.

A copy of the foregoing notification is forwarded to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George for information, with reference to Foreign Department endorsement, No. 1724-G., dated 2nd July 1883. It is requested that the necessary change may be made in all copies of the rules referred to.

(By Order.)

Simla,
6*th July* 1893.

(Signed) H. DALY,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Order—dated 24th July 1893, No. 491, Political.

The notification will be republished in the *Fort St. George Gazette* and the necessary change will be made in the rules contained in G.O., dated 17th July 1883, No. 535.

(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

Gazette.

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G.O., 24th July 1893, No. 491.

JULY.

Rules for the examination of Junior Officers in the Political Department.

Directing republication of the Government of India notification substituting "Volumes III and IV" of Aitchison's Treaties for "Volume III" in Rule II, clause (A) (4), of the—, and the necessary change in the rules contained in G.O., dated 17th July 1883, No. 535.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

Read—again the following paper :—

G.O., dated 10th March 1893, No. 143, Political.

Abstract.—Directing that the late Venkata Santa Bhupati's pension be considered as forfeited ; cancelling paragraph 2 of G.O., dated 17th January 1891, No. 30, so far as it relates to the continuance of a moiety of that pension to his family, but stating that Government will be prepared to grant a compassionate allowance of Rs. 20 to certain members of it from the date of his death.

Order—dated 25th July 1893, No. 496, Political.

For the second sentence of paragraph 2 of G.O., dated 10th March 1893, No. 143, the following will be substituted :—

" This allowance will be reduced by Rs. 5 on the marriage of the daughter and by the same amount on the death of any one of the recipients. After the second reduction, the balance will be capitalised and paid off to the survivor."

(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

To the Agent to the Governor, Vizagapatam.
" Accountant-General.
" Judicial Department.

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G.O., 25th July 1893, No. 496.

JULY.

Golgonda Pensions.

Directing certain substitution for the second sentence of paragraph 2 of G.O., dated 10th March 1893, No. 143, sanctioning a compassionate allowance to the family of the late Santa Bhupati.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following papers :—

G.O., dated 10th March 1893, No. 143, Political.

ABSTRACT.—Directing that the late Venkata Santa Bhupati's pension be considered as forfeited ; cancelling paragraph 2 of G.O., dated 17th January 1891, No. 30, so far as it relates to the continuance of a moiety of that pension to his family, but stating that Government will be prepared to grant a compassionate allowance of Rs. 20 to certain members of it from the date of his death.

G.O., dated 25th July 1893, No. 496, Political.

ABSTRACT.—Substituting a revised sentence for the second sentence of G.O., dated 10th March 1893, No. 143, sanctioning a compassionate allowance to the family of Santa Bhupati.

READ—also the following paper :—

From W. A. WILLOCK, Esq., Agent to the Governor, Vizagapatam District, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated 12th July 1893, No. 1207.

Referring to paragraph 3 of G.O., No. 143, dated 10th March 1893, I have the honour to state that the names of the surviving members of the late Santa Bhupati's family are—

1. Surayyamma Deo, mother,
2. Jammadevamma, widow,
3. Surayyamma Deo, daughter,

and that the first two request that the compassionate allowance granted them be issued in the names of both of them jointly in the first instance.

ORDER—dated 26th July 1893, No. 502, Political.

Recorded.

2. The compassionate grant will, until further orders, be issued jointly to the mother and the widow of Santa Bhupati.

(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

To the Agent to the Governor, Vizagapatam.
„ Accountant-General.
„ Judicial Department.

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POLITICAL.

Issued

Recd. Encl.

G.O., 26th July 1893, No. 502.

JULY.

Golgonda Pensions.

Recording letter from the Agent to the Governor, Vizagapatam, giving the names of the surviving members of the late Santa Bhupati's family, and directing that the compassionate grant be issued jointly to the mother and widow.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following paper:—

G.O., dated 10th June 1893, No. 363, Political.

ABSTRACT.—Directing the Political Agent, Pudukkóttai, to communicate to the Diwan-Regent, for compliance, letter from the Postmaster-General requesting certain information in connection with the transfer of the management of the posts in the State to the Imperial Post Office.

READ—also the following papers:—

From H. FARRER, Esq., Postmaster-General, Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 8th July 1893, No. 7371.

In continuation of the correspondence regarding the transfer of the management of posts in the Pudukkóttai State to the Imperial Post, ending with G.O., No. 363, Political, dated 10th June 1893, I now have the honour to attach for the information of Government copy of a letter, No. 151-C—N.S.-1, No. 35, dated 28th June 1893, which I have received from the Director-General of the Post Office; and with reference to paragraph 2 of that letter, I beg to explain that the practice to which allusion is there made is that postage is charged at the usual official rates on official correspondence of the State which travels entirely, or for a portion of its transit, through British territory. The Director-General has accepted the proposal I made that this arrangement should also be entered into with the Pudukkóttai State; and I shall feel obliged if Government will be pleased to ascertain whether the Diwan-Regent assents to this. In order to indicate more fully the nature of the arrangement in question, I beg to enclose a copy of my circular, No. 231–196, dated 26th March 1889, in which instructions were given on the adoption of the practice in the case of the Mysore State.

2. As regards the treatment of the correspondence of the State addressed to the Political Agent at Trichinopoly referred to in paragraph 3 of the Director-General's letter, I shall be glad to be favoured with an expression of the views of Government.

ENCLOSURE.

From the Director-General of the Post Office of India, to the Postmaster-General, dated Madras, 28th June 1893, No. 151-C.—N.S.-1, No. 35.

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter, No. 297, dated 2nd June 1893, with enclosures, and to say that I have reported, for the information and approval of the Government of India, that arrangements have been made for carrying out the amalgamation of posts in the Pudukkóttai State with the Imperial postal system. A copy of my letter with the reply from Government will be sent to you as soon as the latter is received.

2. As regards the Diwan-Regent's proposals that State correspondence should be carried free of postage outside Pudukkóttai limits, I agree with you in thinking that the practice in this respect already accepted in the case of Mysore should be made applicable to the present case. The free conveyance of State correspondence within State limits is a special concession only allowed in the case of Mysore, and this has been extended, on your recommendation, to the other Native States in the Madras Presidency, where the question of our undertaking the entire management of posts is or has been under consideration. These States, therefore, may properly be asked to agree to the arrangements regarding State correspondence travelling outside State limits which have been sanctioned for Mysore.

3. The only doubt I have had is whether, in consideration of the special position of the Political Agent of Pudukkóttai, it might not be advisable to allow the State correspondence to his address to be sent free. It would be a departure from the principle involved, but if the Madras Government should consider it expedient that this concession should be made, I should be prepared to obtain the necessary sanction.

From W. H. WELSH, Esq., Political Agent for Pudukkóttai, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Trichinopoly, 11th July 1893, No. 123-O —886.

With reference to G.O., No. 363, dated 10th ultimo, I have the honour to submit copy of the Diwan-Regent's letter, No. 81-O., dated 7th July 1893, containing a report on the several points noticed in the Postmaster-General's letter, No. 4482 N.P.—3, No. 1, of 2nd June 1893, printed with Government Order under reference.

2. The Diwan-Regent, in consenting generally to the proposals of the Postmaster-General, submits that "official correspondence of the State" should be held to include all correspondence on behalf of the State both within and out of the Pudukkóttai State and that this is a *sine quâ non* to the transfer of the State post offices to the Imperial Post.

ENCLOSURE.

From the Diwan-Regent of Pudukkóttai, to the Political Agent for Pudukkóttai, dated 7th July 1893, No. 81-O.

I have the honour to acknowledge G.O., dated 10th June 1893, No. 363, Political, bearing your endorsement, No. 123-O-807, dated 24th ultimo, and to report on the several points noticed in the letter of the Postmaster-General, No. 4482—N.P.-3, No. 1, dated 2nd June 1893, therein referred to.

2. From paragraph 1 of the Postmaster-General's letter, I note that the post offices named by me in paragraph 4 of my letter, No. 31-O., will be taken over and maintained by the Imperial Post Department and that in future such extensions will be made as the demands of the public or the requirements of the State may render necessary; and with reference to paragraphs 2 and 3 of his letter, I have the honour to enclose herein a statement of the Post Office establishment now maintained by the State and to inform you that I agree to his proposals in paragraph 2 of his letter.

3. As regards his remarks in paragraph 4 of his letter, I beg to submit that the term "official correspondence of the State" should be held to include *all* correspondence on behalf of the State, *e.g.*, correspondence of the State officers with the Political Agent or other British officers or with banks, mercantile offices and shops at Madras or elsewhere. They are as much official correspondence of the State as correspondence exchanged between the officers of the State within the State itself, which latter I note, when suitably superscribed and franked, will be transmitted without the use of postage stamps of any description. I must distinctly submit that the grant of a similar concession in the case of all correspondence on behalf of the State without any exception is one of the conditions on which the transfer of the State Postal department is agreed to on behalf of this State. With reference also to the remark that, if the State wishes to have any particular correspondence registered or insured, the fee for this service would have to be paid in postage stamps (which it is stated is the practice in Mysore), I have no particular objection, though I wish it were otherwise.

4. With reference to the last paragraph of his letter, I may as well explain in this place that "special arrangements for the transmission of all heavy official articles" was intended to meet only such heavy articles as could not be conveyed under the British Postal Rules.

ORDER—dated 27th July 1893, No. 508, Political.

The Government approves of the proposals of the Postmaster-General and the Director-General regarding the free conveyance of all official correspondence within Pudukkottai and the payment of the usual official rates on all correspondence travelling outside the limits of the State.

His Excellency in Council also accepts the suggestion that State correspondence to the address of the Political Agent should be exempted from payment.

2. With reference to paragraph 3 of his letter, dated 7th July 1893, No. 81-O., the Diwan-Regent will be informed by the Political Agent that the Government cannot entertain his proposals regarding the free conveyance of correspondence outside the State, but will agree to those referred to in paragraph 1 *supra.*

3. The statement referred to in paragraph 2 of the Diwan-Regent's letter has not been received and the Political Agent is requested to forward it at an early date.

(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

To the Postmaster-General.
" Political Agent, Pudukkóttai.

Govt. of {1893} Madras.

POLITICAL.

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Recd. *Encl.*

G.O., 27th July 1893, No. 508.

JULY.

Pudukkottai Post.

Approving the proposals of the Postmaster-General and the Director-General regarding the free conveyance of all official correspondence within Pudukkóttai and the payment of the usual official rates on whatever travels outside the limits of that State.